

(HOUSE BILL)

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FILE NUMBER 1 SUBJECT Canadian River-Survey

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Environmental
COMMITTEE Affairs VOTE Reported Favorably (Amended In Committee)
AYES: 10 1 Present, Not Voting, 1 Absent

NAYS: 1 (Mr. Wieting cast the dissenting vote)

OTHER: SUPPORT OPPOSITION
Mrs. Mary Champ, Austin (Representing the General Land Office)

DIGEST

This resolution orders the Commissioner of the General Land Office, with the cooperation of other State offices, to identify and mark the boundaries of the Canadian River (in the Panhandle) and initiate a study of hunting and fishing in and along the River for the purpose of recommending measures protecting private property rights and regulating and protecting hunting and fishing on state land.

COMMENTS

- 1) The only amendment in committee specified that The Parks and Wildlife Commission has the authority to enforce laws prohibiting illegal hunting of wild game on private property.
- 2) Cost: Initial implementation in 1976 will cost an estimate \$174,500.00 and an additional \$20,000.00 annually, thereafter, to maintain.